

# THE TRADING STAMP WAR

Council Petitioned to Charge Special License on Merchants Using Them.

## COURT MARTIAL IS ORDERED

Will Investigate a Case of Insubordination at the Launching of the Virginia.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
PETERSBURG, VA., April 20.—The war being waged on trading stamps in Petersburg has taken on a new aspect, and will be fought out on a novel ground. A petition is being circulated asking the Common Council to require a special license of the merchants using the trading stamps, and the paper is receiving the signatures of a number of merchants. The large steamship of the American Clear Company will resume operations to-morrow and employment will be afforded about four hundred steamers for the next six weeks or more.

## BROKE HER MAST.

The mast of the large M. H. Smithers was broken off near the deck yesterday afternoon while the barge was attempting to right the schooner J. B. Taylor, which had careened as the result of the shifting of the cargo.

A marriage license was issued in Baltimore yesterday to John A. Andrews and Miss Rosetta J. Andrews, both of Petersburg. Mr. Andrews is the keeper of the West End Park and his bride a resident of Baltimore.

## COURT-MARTIAL.

The sheriff to-day summoned several members of the Petersburg Grays to appear as witnesses before a general court-martial, to be held in this city April 27th, to investigate the case of Private Emmett J. Poarch, charged with insubordination. The alleged offense was committed Virginia Day, when the military company was in Newport News.

## THE SWAYNE INQUIRY.

Professor Wurts, of Yale, Witness Against the Judge.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, April 20.—Prof. John Wurts, of Yale University, was examined to-day by former Senator Higgins, of Delaware, as to his testimony yesterday against Judge J. B. Swaine in the impeachment proceedings before the special subcommittee of the House Committee on the Judiciary. When asked to state the names of the persons who held the impressions that Judge Swaine was suspected of being in possession of being in possession of confidential information, and evidence in cases pending before him, Prof. Wurts named C. E. Reinhardt, president of the Johns Hopkins University, and Judge Young, of the Circuit Court of Florida, and Samuel C. Vance, connected with the National Bank of Commerce. He was unable to say whether these persons obtained their impressions from specific cases or from general knowledge. He declared that he had no conversation with Judge Swaine, but said he believed the judge was not on the proper plane of life and did not view things in a proper judicial light.

## LAST OF THE BANDITS GOES TO PENITENTIARY

(By Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, ILL., April 20.—The jury in the case of Emil Roeske, the last of the car barn bandits, returned a verdict of guilty to-day. The penalty fixed is penitentiary for life.

## NEW ENGLAND MILLS TO CURTAIL PRODUCTION

(By Associated Press.)  
BOSTON, April 20.—In cotton mill circles in this city it is expected an extensive curtailment of production will be made in several of the New England mills during the latter part of this month and May. In conjunction with the curtailment in Fall River, where about 15,000 operatives are shut down two days each week, it is estimated that mills elsewhere in this State and New England, employing a total of about 10,000 hands, are on short time.

## JUDGE SIMONSON'S CONDITION UNCHANGED

(By Associated Press.)  
PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—The condition of United States Circuit Judge Simonson, of Charleston, S. C., who is lying very ill at the Orthopedic Hospital here, was reported to-day to be unchanged. He is resting easily.

## SCROFULA

Swollen glands, tumors, white swelling, sores, pustular or scaly skin eruptions, flabby muscles, brittle bones, weak digestion, emaciated, ill-nourished bodies, are some of the well-known earmarks of Scrofula. Scrofula is inherited. Parents too closely related by the ties of blood, or tainted with consumption or blood poison, may look for signs of Scrofula in their children. The middle-aged often have it, but children are the chief sufferers. Scrofula breaks down the vital forces, and the blood becomes so weak and poor that it does not nourish the body. The remedy in all scrofulous affections must be one that purifies the blood, builds up the diseased blood, increases the blood digestion, increases the appetite and gives new energy and strength to all life's forces. No medicine has won so much fame as a blood purifier as S. S. S., and its tonic effects upon the system are not equaled by any other remedy. It makes the weak, tainted blood rich and strong, and drives out of the circulation all tubercular deposits and morbid matter that cause the glandular swelling, sores, abscesses, tumors and other horrible symptoms that make Scrofula so dreaded and dangerous.

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## TRIED TO KILL WIFE

The Rev. Dr. George Buckle, Charged With Attempted Murder, Flees.

## MARRIED STAUNTON LADY

Alleged to Have Tried to Take Her Life by Strangulation.

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## SUES IN NEW JERSEY.

Harriman and Associates Ask for Injunction.

## TWELVE MINERS LOST IN MEXICAN MINE DISASTER

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MEXICO CITY, April 20.—A telegram has reached the city from Capahu, capital of the State of Hidalgo, stating that a mine disaster occurred there to-day. Twelve miners lost their lives by being precipitated to the bottom of a shaft 300 metres deep. The cause of the accident was the breaking of a cable to which the bodies of the twelve miners were attached. The accident occurred in the La Blanca mine, where the bodies of the twelve miners were recovered from the shaft and will be interred to-morrow.

## College Games Yesterday.

(By Associated Press.)  
At Princeton-Pennsylvania State College, 8; Princeton, 19; Brown, 11; Wake Forest College, 0.

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Sins of the Fathers.

Farmer Hornback—Oh, yeh! I've heard a horse rumor that his father was a populist—Puck.

# MAY VISIT JAMESTOWN

Probable That Daughters of the American Revolution Congress Will Do So.

## TO GO BY SPECIAL STEAMER

If as Many as Two Hundred Unite the Exposition Co.'s Invitation Will be Accepted.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20.—It is probable that the Continental Congress, the national body of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which is now in session in this city, will visit Jamestown on Monday next week. The invitation to do so was extended to-night and a committee was appointed to receive the names of the ladies of the congress, who wish to make the trip. If as many as two hundred indicate their intention of accepting the invitation, a special boat will leave here Sunday afternoon, and reach Norfolk Monday morning early. At Norfolk, the visitors will become the guests of the Exposition Company and will be taken to Jamestown on a special steamer.

They will return to Old Point that afternoon and be tendered a banquet there that night, after which, the return trip to Washington will be begun.

Hon. John Goode addressed the congress to-night in an eloquent speech, outlining what had been done by the man of Jamestown and their posterity, and several times in the course of the speech, the old orator, had to pause to wait for the subsidence of the applause.

At the conclusion of the address, a standing vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Goode for the address.

Miss Page, of Virginia, then read an invitation from the Exposition Company, to visit Jamestown, and Mr. S. Gordon Cumming, of Hampton, chairman of the Legislative Committee of the Exposition, urged the ladies to accept the invitation.

It was decided that a committee of five be appointed to receive the names of those who desired to make the trip. It was also decided that the steamer will now be chartered, and the daughters will make the pilgrimage to the site of the first Anglo-Saxon settlement in North America.

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